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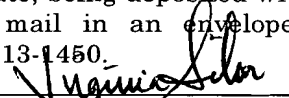
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Title: System, Method and Computer Program Converting Pixels To  
Luminance Levels and Assigning Colors Associated with  
Luminance Levels in Printer or Display Output Devices (Amended)

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that Applicant(s) attorneys be advised of the current status of the above-identified application.

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